

ROBERT E. BUSHNELL*†

JOSEPH G. SEEBER°
DARREN R. CREW+*
MATTHEW J. LESTINA†
SARYADVINDER S. SAHOTA†
JONG H. PARK‡
FRANK J. DYNDAA*

OF COUNSEL
RICHARD H. STERN°

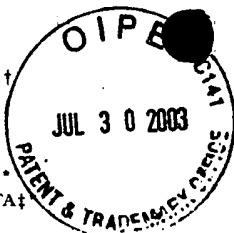
MICHAEL D. PARKER
(REG. PATENT AGENT)

† ADMITTED IN MARYLAND
° ADMITTED IN VIRGINIA
+ ADMITTED IN PENNSYLVANIA
‡ ADMITTED IN NEW YORK
° ADMITTED IN CONNECTICUT
* ADMITTED IN NEW JERSEY
* NOT ADMITTED IN D.C.

Attn.: Examiner Suzanne Dino Barrett
Art Unit: 3627

Mail Stop CPA
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Fax No.: (703) 872-9326 & 9327



R. E. BUSHNELL

ATTORNEY AT LAW

1522 K STREET, N.W., SUITE 300
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20005-1202
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW

TELEPHONE (202) 408-9040
FACSIMILE (202) 289-7100
FACSIMILE (202) 628-3835
FACSIMILE (410) 747-0022

E-MAIL: REBUSHNELL@AOL.COM

30 July 2003

- ☐ U.S. Postal Service
☐ Via Local Courier
☐ Via International Courier
☐ Via Facsimile No. _____

RECEIVED

Please Acknowledge Receipt

AUG 04 2003

GROUP 3600

3627 CPA
#54
Request for
Reconsideration
JH
9/11/03

Re.: Patent Application For:
ELECTROMECHANICAL CYLINDER PLUG
Serial No.: 08/720,070 filed 27 September 1996
Richard G. Hyatt Jr.
Our ref.: P53821C
Total Pages Including this Page:3

Dear Examiner Barrett:

Accompanying this facsimile transmission is a copy of a Supplemental Response. A copy of the same is being concurrently filed with the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office today.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of all pages.

With best regards.

Respectfully submitted,

Mine Cousin
For Robert E. Bushnell

REB/wc
Enclosure

☛ If you did not receive all of the pages, please call the following number: (202) 408-9040



PATENT
P53821C

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

RICHARD G. HYATT, JR.

Serial No.: 08/720,070

Filed: 27 September 1996
CPA filed on 8 July 1999

For: ELECTROMECHANICAL CYLINDER PLUG

RECEIVED
AUG 04 2003
Examiner: BARRETT, SUZANNE DINO
Art Unit: 3600

SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

Mail Stop CPA
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In confirmation of the telephone discussion between Applicant's undersigned attorney and the Examiner on Tuesday, the 29th of July 2003, the Examiner is advised that Applicant has today filed a divisional application, with claims 85 through 88 presented as claims 6 through 11, and a response to the Examiner's request for Applicant's statement under 37 CFR §1.607(a), dated 13 June 2003.

The application of art rejections to these claims in the above-captioned application raises issues that encumber the swift prosecution of an interference; accordingly, Applicant has filed the divisional application and will provide the Examiner with the serial number as soon as the serial number is assigned. In the interim, Applicant contemplates either amendment or cancellation of claims 85 through 88 in view of the Examiner's allowance of some of the pending claims and the